

AMENDED IN SENATE APRIL 12, 2010

SENATE BILL

No. 911

Introduced by Senator Kehoe

January 27, 2010

An act relating to the payment of claims against the state, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 911, as amended, Kehoe. Claims against the state: appropriation.

Existing law requires the Attorney General to pay certain judgments against the state.

This bill would appropriate ~~an unspecified amount~~ *2 specified amounts* to the Attorney General to pay ~~an unspecified judgment~~ *the settlements in 2 specified cases*.

This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute.

Vote: $\frac{2}{3}$. Appropriation: yes. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 ~~SECTION 1. (a) The sum of _____ (\$_____) is hereby~~
- 2 ~~appropriated from the General Fund to the Attorney General to~~
- 3 ~~pay for the judgment in the case of _____.~~
- 4 ~~(b) Any funds appropriated in excess of the amounts actually~~
- 5 ~~required for the payment of this judgment shall revert to the~~
- 6 ~~General Fund on June 30 of the fiscal year in which the final~~
- 7 ~~payment is made.~~

1 *SECTION 1. The sum of six hundred twenty-three thousand*
2 *dollars (\$623,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund*
3 *to the Department of Justice to pay the settlement in Huntsman v.*
4 *California Department of Forestry, Fresno County Superior Court,*
5 *Case No. 08 CE CG 02671. Any funds appropriated in excess of*
6 *the amount required for the payment of this claim shall revert to*
7 *the General Fund.*

8 *SEC. 2. The sum of two hundred seventeen thousand dollars*
9 *(\$217,000) is hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the*
10 *Department of Justice to pay the settlement in California School*
11 *Boards Association v. State of California, Sacramento Superior*
12 *Court Case No. 06CS01335. Any funds appropriated in excess of*
13 *the amount required for the payment of this claim shall revert to*
14 *the General Fund.*

15 ~~SEC. 2.~~

16 *SEC. 3. This act is an urgency statute necessary for the*
17 *immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety within*
18 *the meaning of Article IV of the Constitution and shall go into*
19 *immediate effect. The facts constituting the necessity are:*

20 *In order to pay judgment and settlement claims against the state*
21 *and end hardship to claimants as quickly as possible, it is necessary*
22 *for this act to take effect immediately.*